



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : John J. McSheffrey, Jr., et al.      Art Unit : 3752  
Serial No. : 10/782,288      Examiner : Davis D. Hwu  
Filed : February 19, 2004  
Title : MONITORING CONTENTS OF FLUID CONTAINERS

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450


STATUS INQUIRY

Applicant respectfully inquires as to the status of the above application. The application was filed on February 19, 2004 and its last known status was the lodging of a status inquiry, mailed May 9, 2005, to which no response has been received.

Please apply any charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: November 8, 2005

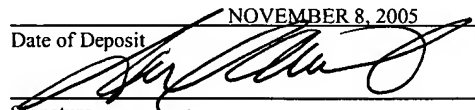
  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Timothy A. French  
Reg. No. 30,175

Fish & Richardson P.C.  
Fish & Richardson P.C.  
225 Franklin St.  
Boston, MA 02110  
Telephone: (617) 542-5070  
Facsimile: (617) 542-8906

21201206.doc

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING BY FIRST CLASS MAIL

I hereby certify under 37 CFR §1.8(a) that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail with sufficient postage on the date indicated below and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date of Deposit NOVEMBER 8, 2005  
  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
TIMOTHY A. FRENCH  
Typed or Printed Name of Person Signing Certificate